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DETAILED ACTION

Reason For Allowance

1. Claims 1-4 are allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The closet prior art of record (Tsuchiya) does not teach nor suggest in detail the address translation method between a plurality of addressing zones which allows communication from a public zone to a private zone in combination with all the elements of each independent claim as argued by the Applicant (See Page 3-5 of Applicant enabling specification,). Tsuchiya teaches about a technique for hosting a service on a cluster of machines using network address translator but like conventional NAT only allowed communication from a private zone to a public. So as indicated by the above statements, Applicant's arguments have been considered persuasive in light of the claim limitations as well as the enabling portions of the specification.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Michael S. A. Delgado whose telephone number is (571) 272-3926. The examiner can normally be reached on 7.30 AM - 5.30PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, William C. Vaughn Jr. can be reached on (571)272-3922. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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